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Honorable Scott Harris
Clerk of Court
U.S. Supreme Court
1 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20543

Re: No. 21-475, Deanna Brookhart, Warden v. Kenneth Smith

Dear Mr. Harris

We represent Respondent in Deanna Brookhart, Warden v. Kenneth Smith. The petition for a writ of certiorari was filed on September 24, 2021. The Court requested a response on November 30, 2021. The Court granted a first unopposed motion for extension of time to respond, and the current deadline for that response is January 31, 2022. As a result of counsel's continued personal and professional obligations, we respectfully move for an additional three-week extension of time to file Respondent's brief, to and including February 21, 2022. I have conferred by e-mail with Petitioner's counsel, who states that Petitioner does not object to this extension of time.

Sincerely,
/s David Jimenez-Ekman

cc: Counsel for Petitioner